## Town Board Members Celebrate Start of the Holiday Season at Annual Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony

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**Farmingville, NY -** On Friday December 3, Supervisor Mark Lesko and members of the Town board joined Santa Claus and over 1,000 town residents to light the Christmas tree at Brookhaven Town Hall. The annual event featured wonderful performances by Town talent show winners, jazz, hip-hop and lyrical dancers, the William Floyd High School Select Chorus, and the Rocky Point High School Singing Santas. The highlight of the evening was when Santa Claus arrived on a Fire Truck to greet the crowd and light the 50 ft. Town Christmas Tree. The Farmingville Fire Department was also there to serve hot chocolate to the crowd.

"The annual Christmas Tree lighting ceremony is such a great tradition in the Town and so many residents look forward to it every year," said Supervisor Lesko. "The best is when you see the excitement and joy on the faces of the children when Santa arrives." He continued, "I want to wish everyone a happy and safe holiday season."

Pictured (left to right): Supervisor Mark Lesko, Councilman Daniel Panico, Councilman Timothy Mazzei, Councilwoman Constance Kepert, Councilwoman Jane Bonner and Deputy Supervisor/Councilwoman Kathleen Walsh.

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